

Rancho Santiago Community College District
ADMINISTRATIVE REGULATION
Chapter 3
General Institution

AR 3570 Smoking and Tobacco Use in District Facilities and Vehicles

Reference(s):

Government Code Sections 7596, 7597, 7597.1 and 7598
Labor Code Section 6404.5
Title 8 Section 5148

Smoking is prohibited in all campus areas including all District owned, rented or leased properties and vehicles, except in designated parking lot areas and within 20 feet of entrances, exits, and operable windows.

Smoking is defined as the use of products containing tobacco and/or nicotine, including but not limited to smokeless tobacco, clove cigarettes, or any other smoking products, and any and all electronic or “e-cigarettes”, which is an unapproved nicotine delivery device, unregulated by the FDA.

Public performances in which smoking is an integral and necessary part of the production are excluded from these regulations.

These regulations apply to employees, students, visitors and all other persons who use District owned or rented/leased facilities and vehicles. Failure to comply with these regulations may result in disciplinary action.

It is the responsibility of every District employee to comply with these regulations and report violations to District Safety.

These regulations do not supersede more restrictive policies which may be in force under State and Federal regulations.

Responsible Manager: Vice Chancellor of Human Resources and Vice Presidents of Administrative Services and Student Services

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